

Single-mode single-fiber aggregation switch



AI Overview

Single-mode single-fiber switch aggregation combines multiple network links over single-mode fiber using bidirectional SFP modules and link aggregation protocols to increase bandwidth and redundancy. Overview Single-mode single-fiber aggregation allows network devices to combine multiple physical fiber links into a single logical connection, enhancing bandwidth and providing failover capabilities. This is typically implemented using aggregation switches that consolidate traffic from access switches or edge devices and forward it to core switches or routers, operating at Layer 2 or Layer 3 of the OSI model. Fiber and SFP Considerations Single-mode fiber (SMF) uses a $\sim 9 \mu\text{m}$ core and supports long-distance transmission, making it ideal for aggregation across campuses or data centers. Bi-Directional (BiDi) SFP modules allow a single fiber strand to carry both transmit and receive signals using different wavelengths (e.g., 1270nmTx/1330nmRx), reducing fiber usage while maintaining full-duplex communication. For distances up to 10 km, 10G LR or BiDi SFP+ modules are commonly used, while extended distances may require ER modules. Link Aggregation Protocols Link Aggregation Control Protocol (LACP), defined in IEEE 802.1AX, enables multiple physical links to be combined into a single logical link, increasing bandwidth and providing redundancy. LACP can operate in active or passive mode, automatically negotiating link bundling between switches. Static aggregation is also possible but requires manual configuration and identical equipment on both ends. Deployment Tips Each node in a single-fiber ring or chain requires a switch with SFP ports to handle bidirectional traffic. Pair BiDi SFP modules correctly: one end uses the -D module and the other the -U module to ensure proper wavelength alignment. Avoid spanning-tree loops in deep or long chains; keep fiber rings open or use aggr...

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